

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT

Application No.: 10/579,128
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Applicant: Takayuki Kurozumi, et al
Group Art Unit: 2626
Examiner: Brian L. Albertalli
Title: Sound Signal Detection System, Sound Signal Detection Server,
Image Signal Search Apparatus, Image Signal Search Method. . .
Attorney Docket: 5259-000064/US/NP

Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND/OR ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed February 19, 2010, Applicants hereby elect to prosecute Species I, claims 1-19 and 30-36, drawn to a sound signal detection system. Applicants make this election without prejudice and reserve the right to prosecute the remaining Species II (claims 20-29) at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: March 17, 2010

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